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PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 53080  
 Kazuhiro SUGIE, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6192  
 Application No.: 10/585,078 : Group Art Unit: 1795  
 Filed: June 29, 2006 : Examiner: HAN, Kwang S  
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 For: LEAD STORAGE BATTERY

**AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 1.114****CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 1, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire December 1, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows.